

ECEJ Leadership Team Meeting Notes

Monday, November 16, 2015

Lynx Room

9:00 - 10:00

➤ EJ Action Team – (Visitors Jean Belille and Abby Dean)

❖ EJ Strategy Discussion – 3 Strategies Going Forward

- #1. EJ Going Forward
 - Regions to identify overburdened communities in coordination with states and other partners.
 - Develop a metric to demonstrate and measure progress in terms of compliance monitoring,
 - Communicate successes related to EJ
 - HQ wants to develop a new tool for identifying viable candidate communities and enforcement targets.
- #2 Partnerships
 - Focus is on state, national, and regional partnerships in assistance with targeting inspections and sharing information.
 - Development of a 5-year strategy which includes expectations and measurements of performance of those expectations.
 - Have discussions with states on an annual basis – most regions are doing at the program level.
- #3 Community Involvement and Transparency
 - Enhancement of communication and transparency.
 - Incorporate SEPs in settlements.
 - Sharing information on the benefits of EJ actions.
 - Increase awareness of information resources that exist such as ECHO and EJ Screen.

➤ Immediate Office Updates

❖ Kelcey

- **Deputies Report -**
 - Resources updates
 - We are good to go on the current positions discussed previously. There are currently four in the hopper to be approved by the SLT – Vice Davis, FIFRA Coordinator, the 404 position, and the UIC position. However there is a question as to how they will be announced. Kelcey will get clarification and report back.

➤ Lightning Round – topics of high interest

❖ Gwen

- The EPS announcement should be in USAJOBS today.
- East Glacier CAP is routing as is the Salt Lake County consent decree.
- The Colorado Springs MS4 tolling agreement is in place.

❖ David

- Evelyn Ladner is leaving us. Her last day will be mid-December.

❖ KC

- A motion will be filed today on Johnson.
- The ED/RC VTC will occur today and is in the Juniper room.

❖ Jim

- Had a meeting last week on Whiting with the government side (DOJ, EPA, and the state) that went very well. There is one with Whiting scheduled for today.

❖ **Andrea**

- The brown bag sessions for the new attorneys have been scheduled.
- The US MAG meeting was held last Thursday and went very well.
- CFAC will have an AOC hopefully by the end of this week,

❖ **Suzanne**

- There is a meeting at the end of the day between the North Dakota Petroleum Council and the RA. They have questions on the 114s and would like to review the new regulations.

REMINDERS:

<u>Date DUE</u>	<u>Subject</u>
NLT Wed, 2pm	WARS and Hot Issues Diane
NLT Thurs, 10am	Friday Pgm Coverage to Diane
Nov	IO Acting – Kelcey
Nov	AT/TOX – Fridge cleaning
Nov 19	PARS Orig. and Cert emails to Jackie
Notice:	Fun @ Work will resume Summer 16

UPCOMING CALLS/MEETINGS:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Nov 30	ISP/IT Briefing – Matt Duran
Dec 2	Region 8 Awards Ceremony 1p-2p